SENATE BILL 123

By Briggs

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, relative to the regulation of products containing nicotine.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1551, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(d)

- (1) Notwithstanding subsection (a) or any other provision of this title, a local government is authorized by ordinance to prohibit smoking on the grounds of a playground owned or operated by such local government.
- (2) Subdivision (d)(1) applies only in counties with a population of not less than four hundred thirty-two thousand two hundred (432,200) nor more than four hundred thirty-two thousand three hundred (432,300), according to the 2010 federal census or any subsequent federal census, and in any municipalities within such counties.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it.